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	First Named Inventor or Application Identifier	Keith Eric Neuendorff
	Title	GENERATION OF SYNCHRONOUS TRANSPORT SIGNAL DATA USED FOR NETWORK PROTECTION OPERATION (As amended)
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 Appendix(ces) ___, & ___ (___ pages)
 - ☒ Claim(s) 7 pages
 - ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure 1 page
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 Filed on June 29, 1999, entitled: "GENERATION OF SYNCHRONOUS TRANSPORT SIGNAL DATA USED FOR NETWORK PROTECTION OPERATION"
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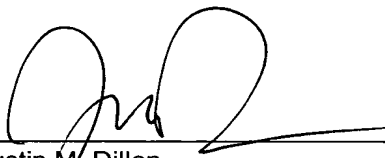
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REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)	Inventors	Keith Eric Neuendorff Phillippe J. Daniel
	Title	GENERATION OF SYNCHRONOUS TRANSPORT SIGNAL DATA USED FOR NETWORK PROTECTION OPERATION
	Atty Docket Number	CIS0015C1US

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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